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Bench: Sh. Sanjiv Garg, State Information Commissioner, Punjab

Harkanwalpreet Singh,

101/1, Bhan Singh Colony, Faridkot - 151203 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

(Regd. Post) O/o The Chairman,

PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Nabha Road, Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Managing Director, PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Nabha Road, Patiala (Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 715 of 2019

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Narinder Kumar, Senior Assistant, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and the appellant orally stated that he has pointed out certain deficiencies in the information supplied to him through a letter dated 27.05.2019 and sent the same to the office of respondent with a copy to the Commission, which have not been removed. Last opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post and submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant. A show cause notice under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act was also issued to PIO of office of Chairman, PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Patiala.

The appellant, Sh. Harkanwalpreet Singh, is not present in today's hearing.

Sh. Narinder Kumar, Senior Assistant, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally states that the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Harkanwalpreet Singh vide letter no. 113 dated 18.03.2019 through registered post.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information or not. He is also advised to point out deficiencies in the information supplied to him in writing to the respondent PIO and the respondent is directed to remove the same by the next date of hearing.

The appellant is also advised to represent this case in person or through his representative on the next date of hearing or the case would be decided on merits.

The case is <u>adjourned to 13th November, 2019(Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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Rajinder Kumar, Retd. G.I.

Quarter No. 35 – L, I.T.I. Staff Colony, Talwara, P.O. Talwara, Tehsil Mukherian, Distt. Hoshiarpur -144216(Punajb)

...Appellant

Public Information Officer.

O/o The Principal, Govt. Industrial Training Institute(Boys), Gurdaspur-143521(Punajb)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Principal,

Govt. Industrial Training Institute(Boys),

Gurdaspur-143521(Punajb)

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... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 719 of 2019

V/s

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and neither the appellant nor the respondent was present and another opportunity was given to both the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that on the hearing, held on 15.05.2019 and the representative of the respondent/PIO, Sh. Satish Chander, Electronics Instructor, had shown a document showing that Sh. Davinder Singh Rana (regarding whom the information has been sought through RTI request) had worked as the Group Instructor at I.T.I, Gurdaspur for the period from 04.07.2017 to 03.07.2018 and apart from this no other information is available in the record.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Rajinder Kumar nor the respondent is present in today's hearing. They have also not sent any intimation regarding their non-availability.

Last and final opportunity is given to both the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative, on the next date of hearing positively or the case would be decided on merits.

The case is <u>adjourned to 13th November, 2019(Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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Ramesh Kumar Gupta (Retd. Inspector)

498/15, Back Side Head Post Office Colony, Main Gali, Gurdaspur (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer.

(Regd. Post) O/o The Executive Officer,

Nagar Council, Gurdaspur (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Deputy Director, Urban Local Bodies, Amritsar (Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 687 of 2019

Present: Sh. Ramesh Kumar Gupta, the appellant in person.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and another opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which were pointed out by the Appellant through letter dated 21.05.2019, to him by registered post and submit/send the postal receipt in the Commission. Another opportunity was also given to both the parties to represent this case in person or through their representative.

The appellant, Sh. Ramesh Kumar Gupta, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that incomplete information has been supplied to him by the respondent PIO so far as he has not received copy of service-book(sought through RTI request), through which entries has been done.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 2304 dated 30.08.2019 signed by Executive Officer, Nagar Council, Gurdaspur, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Ramesh Kumar Gupta vide letter no. 2301 dated 30.08.2019. It, alongwith a copy of reply, is taken on record.

The appellant is advised to confirm whether he has received the information, which has been sent by the respondent vide letter no. 2301 dated 30.08.2019, or not. He is also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, (in the information) on receipt of the same, in writing to the respondent PIO and the respondent is directed to remove the same by the next date of hearing.

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The respondent PIO concerned is directed to appear in person before the Commission to represent this case alongwith relevant official record on the next date of hearing So that facts of this case could be cleared, failing which action would be initiated against him/her under the provisions of the RTI Act. A copy of this order be sent to him/her through registered post.

The case is <u>adjourned to 5th November, 2019(Tuesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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Sohan Lal

S/o Sh. Lachhman Dass, Patta Dhumaki, VPO Jagatpur, Block Mukandpur, Distt. S.B.S. Nagar(Nawanshaher)-144507(Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer.

O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, ATP, Zone-D, Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 752 of 2019

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

- i) Sh. Rajeev Bhardwaj, Superintendent-cum-PIO(Non-Technical),Zone D, in person;
- ii) Sh. Harjit Singh, Draftsman (Building Branch), Zone D, on behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and another opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant through letter dated 22.05.2019, to him by registered post and submit/send a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission. Another opportunity was also given to the appellant to represent this case in person or through any of his representative.

The appellant, Sh. Sohan Lal is not present in today's hearing.

Sh. Rajeev Bhardwaj, Superintendent-cum-PIO(Non-Technical) of Zone – D, who appeared in person in today's hearing, submits a copy of reply vide letter no. 1328 dated 10.05.2019, showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sohan Lal vide letter no. 1327 dated 10.05.2019 through registered post. It, alongwith a copy of postal receipt, is taken on record.

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Sh. Harjit Singh, Draftsman (Building Branch) of Zone – D, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally states that a reply has already been sent to the appellant, Sh. Sohan Lal through registered post vide letter no. 37 dated 26.04.2019. A copy of reply vide letter no. 37 dated 26.04.2019 signed by PIO-cum-Assistant Town Planner, Zone- D, M. C., Ludhiana showing that in response to the RTI request, a reply has already been sent to the appellant, Sh. Sohan Lal through registered post, is already placed in the case-file.

Both of the above-mentioned representatives of the respondent, orally state that letter dated 22.05.2019 of the appellant, through which deficiencies have been pointed out, has not been received in the office till date.

A copy of the letter dated 22.05.2019, has been handed over to both of the officials of the respondent during the hearing, with the directions to the concerned PIOs of branches to remove the deficiencies (whichever deficiencies relate with their branch), pointed out by the appellant, before the next date of hearing.

An opportunity is also given to the appellant to represent this case in person or through his representative on the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 5th November,2019 (Tuesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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Manjit Singh S/o Sh. Sohan Singh, 388/13, Bahera Road, Patiala (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

(Regd. Post) O/o The Asstt. State Transport Officer, Pb.,

Automatic Driving Test(Track),

Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Pb., Jiwandeep Building, Sector 17, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

hearing.

This case was last heard on 10.07.2019 and the respondent Public Information

Appeal Case No. 1153 of 2019

Officer office of Asstt. State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Automatic Driving Test(Track), Patiala was directed to send the certified copies of the required information to the appellant, as per queries raised by him through his RTI request, through registered post at his residential address within five weeks from that day and produce a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission positively. The appellant was advised to confirm whether he has received the information or not. He was also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO through registered post with a copy to the Commission.

Neither the appellant, Sh. Manjit Singh nor the respondent is present in today's

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that on the hearing, held on 10.07.2019, the notice of hearing issued by the Commission vide letter no. 9422 dated 29.05.2019 in the name of the respondent PIO, is received back as 'undelivered' through Diary No. 11522 dated 13.06.2015. It is taken on record.

A copy of this order be sent again to the Secretary, Regional Transport Authority,

Patiala through registered post alongwith a copy of Notice of Hearing, RTI request and other enclosure with the advice to direct the concerned PIO to send the certified copies of the required information to the appellant, as per queries raised by him through RTI request, through registered post at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission on the next date of hearing. He is also advised to ensure presence of any of official of office of Asstt. State Transport Officer, Pb., Automatic Driving Test(Track), Patiala, to represent this case on the next date of hearing to clear the facts of this case. A copy of this order be sent to him through registered post.

The case is adjourned to 6th November, 2019(Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

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(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Puniab

(Regd. Post) The Secretary,

Regional Transport Authority,

Patiala (Punjab)

Encl: Notice of Hearing, RTI request and other enclosures

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Bharat Bhushan Mattu

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...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar (Punjab)

First Appellant Authority,

O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Pb. JiwanDeep Building, Sector-17, Chandigarh

....Respondents

Appeal Case No. 3431 of 2018

Present: Sh. Bharat Bhushan Mattu, the appellant in person.

Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Clerk, on behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

This case was last heard on 10.07.2019 and the respondent PIO was directed to send the requisite information to the appellant through registered post/in person at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal/acknowledgement receipt in the Commission. Last opportunity was given to the appellant to represent this case in person or through his representative.

Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally states that on the earlier hearing, a reply vide letter no. 5156 dated 09.07.2019 signed by Public Information Officer-cum-Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar, was submitted, showing in response to the RTI request, the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Bharat Bhushan Mattu vide letter no. 11382 dated 05.09.2018 and again vide letter no. 2888 dated 12.04.2019. It is already placed in the case-file.

He also hands over a copy of the same to the appellant during the hearing in the Commission today.

The appellant, Sh. Bharat Bhushan Mattu, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally intimates that information at point no. 03 of RTI request regarding copy of log-book for the period from 01.04.2018 to 09.07.2018 is still pending. He further states that as he has received the requisite information and only part information of point no. 03 is pending. He will have no objection if the case is closed today itself.

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He also through a letter dated 02.09.2019, has acknowledged that he has received the requisite information and asked for filing of his case. It is taken on record.

In view of the above, the case is <u>disposed of and closed</u> with the directions to the concerned PIO to supply the remaining information at point no. 03 of RTI request regarding copy of log-book for the period from 01.04.2018 to 09.07.2018 to the appellant through registered post positively.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

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Bharat Bhushan Mattu,

House No. 322, Maskeen Nagar, PO Netaji Nagar, Salem Tabri, Distt. Ludhiana -141008 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer.

O/o The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 702 of 2019

Present: Sh. Bharat Bhushan Mattu, the appellant in person.

Sh. Ravinder Singh, Clerk, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and the respondent PIO was directed to send the requisite information to the appellant through registered post/in person at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal/acknowledgement receipt in the Commission. Last opportunity was given to the appellant to represent this case in person or through his representative.

The appellant, Sh. Bharat Bhushan Mattu, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has pointed out certain deficiencies, in the information supplied to him.

Sh. Ravinder Singh, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, orally states that in response, a point-wise reply has been given to the appellant, Sh. Bharat Bhushan Mattu,

The appellant intimates the Commission that at point no. 1 (d), certified copy of renewal Form - 07 to renew DL (which was applied through online), has not been given to him and at point no. 4 (b), certified copy of log-book for the period from 01.08.2018 dated 01.11.2018 has not been given.

The respondent PIO concerned is directed to supply the information, sought by the appellant at point no. 1 (d) regarding renewal Form - 07 to renew DL be supplied to him by the next date of hearing.

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And for the information, sought by the appellant at point no. 4 (b), certified copy of log-book, the respondent PIO concerned is directed to facilitate the appellant to inspect the relevant official record on 18.09.2019 at 11:00 A. M. so that the appellant could identify the required information. The appellant is also advised to avail the opportunity to inspect the relevant official record on 18.09.2019 at 11:00 A. M. to identify the information.

Both the parties mutually agreed to it during the hearing today.

The respondent-PIO concerned is directed to supply the required Information at point no. 4 (b) of the RTI request, which would be identified by the appellant after inspection, to him as per official record by the next date of hearing.

The appellant is advised to confirm whether he has received the information (which would be supplied by respondent PIO) or not. He is also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

The case is <u>adjourned to 6th November, 2019(Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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Ms. Shruti, Advocate,

H. No. 82, Labour Colony, Backside Scooter Market, Gill Road, Ludhiana - 141003 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1163 of 2019

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Chander Parkash, Draftsman (Drawing Branch) O/o A. T. P., Zone- C, on

behalf of the respondent.

<u>ORDER</u>

This case was last heard on 10.07.2019 and the respondent PIO was directed to supply the complete information to the Appellant as per queries raised by her through his RTI request through registered post and produce a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission. Another opportunity was also given to the appellant to represent her case in person or through any of her representative with the advice to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information, in writing, to the respondent PIO through registered post with a copy to the Commission. A show cause notice was also issued to Public Information Officer of office of Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana under Section 20 (1) of the RTI Act.

Sh. Chander Parkash, Draftsman (Drawing Branch) office of Assistant Town Planner, Zone- C, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 180 dated 30.08.2019 signed by Public Information Officer- Assistant Town Planner, Zone- C, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana, showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant, Ms. Shruti vide letter no. 127 dated 09.07.2019 through registered post. A copy of the same alongwith a copy of supplied information and a copy of postal receipt is taken on record.

The appellant, Ms. Shruti was absent on the hearing, held on 10.07.2019. She is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. She has neither pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied to her, to the respondent-PIO, nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim in that regard.

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In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant has received the required information and is satisfied with the same and does not wish to pursue this case further.

Sh. Chander Parkash, Draftsman (Drawing Branch), also made oral submission on behalf of the PIO during the hearing today to explain the fact that there is no malafide in causing the delay in supplying the requisite information to the information seeker.

After going through the oral submission made by Sh. Chander Parkash, Draftsman during the hearing and finding the explanation given by him genuine, the show cause issued, vide orders dated 10.07.2019, to the concerned PIO is <u>dropped</u>.

In view of all the above, the case is <u>disposed of and closed.</u>
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V/s

Ms. Shruti, Advocate,

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Gill Road, Ludhiana - 141003 (Punjab)

...Appellant

....

Public Information Officer, O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Punjab) First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana (Punjab)

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1164 of 2019

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

Sh. Chander Parkash, Draftsman (Drawing Branch) O/o A. T. P., Zone- C, on

behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 10.07.2019 and the respondent-PIO concerned was directed to file a point wise reply to each and every query, raised by the appellant through his RTI request and send a copy of that reply in advance to the appellant though registered post within five weeks from that day and produce a copy of the postal receipt in the Commission. Another opportunity was also given to the appellant to represent her case in person or through any of her representative.

Sh. Chander Parkash, Draftsman (Drawing Branch) office of Assistant Town Planner, Zone- C, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 181 dated 30.08.2019 signed by Public Information Officer- Assistant Town Planner, Zone- C, Municipal Corporation, Ludhiana showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant, Ms. Shruti vide letter no. 106 dated 26.06.2019. A copy of the same alongwith a copy of supplied information and a copy of postal receipt is taken on record.

The appellant, Ms. Shruti was absent on the hearing, held on 10.07.2019. She is again absent from today's hearing without any intimation to the Commission. She has neither pointed out any deficiency in the information supplied to her, to the respondent-PIO, nor approached the Commission with any contrary claim in that regard.

In view of the above, it is assumed that the appellant is satisfied with the information supplied to her and does not wish to pursue this case further and hence the case is disposed of and closed.

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Manjinder Singh,

2469, Sunny Enclave, Sector 125, Kharar (Distt. – Mohali) - 140301 (Punjab)

...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer.

O/o The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

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O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Pb., Jiwandeep Building, Sector 17, Chandigarh

...Respondents

Appeal Case No. 1176 of 2019

Present: Sh. Manjinder Singh, the appellant in person.

Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Clerk, on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 10.07.2019 and an opportunity was given to the respondent PIO concerned to provide the remaining information to the appellant at point no. 01 regarding total number of new driving licenses and fitness certificates of the vehicles issued and at point no. 04 regarding number of applicants disqualified in driving test and number of vehicles declared as unfit.

Sh. Jaswinder Singh, Clerk, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 6606 dated 30.08.2019 signed by Public Information Officer-cum- Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Jalandhar, showing that in compliance to the order dated 10.07.2019, the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Manjinder Singh vide letter no. 5823 dated 06.08.2019. He also hands over a copy of the same to the appellant during the hearing in the Commission today. It, alongwith reply vide letter no. 5823 dated 06.08.2019, is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Manjinder Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally intimates that through the reply, only consolidated information has been given.

Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to provide the remaining information to the appellant as per queries raised by him at point no. 01 and at point no. 04 through RTI request, before the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 6th November, 2019(Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
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(Regd. Post) Devinder Kumar S/o Sh. Sat Dev Jain,

182, Maharaja Yadvindra Enclave, Nabha Road, Patiala-147001(Punjab)

...Appellant

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Principal,

Government I.T.I., Patiala (Punjab)

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Principal,

Government I.T.I., Patiala (Punjab)

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 648 of 2019

Present: None on behalf of the appellant.

None on behalf of the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and the respondent PIO concerned was directed to send the certified copies of the required information to the appellant through registered post/in person at his residential address and produce a copy of the postal/acknowledgement receipt in the Commission. Another opportunity was given to the appellant to confirm whether he has received the information or not and also advised to point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO through registered post with a copy to the Commission.

The appellant, Sh. Devinder Kumar, through a letter dated 01.09.2019, which has been received in the Commission through an e-mail, has intimated the Commission that copies of information supplied to him are scanned copies and had hand written attestation not duly stamped. It is taken on record.

After examining the documents placed on record, it is found that the respondent PIO through a reply vide letter no. 2985 dated 30.07.2019 signed by Public Information Officer-cum- Food Safety Officer, Patiala, which has been received in the Commission vide Diary No. 14776 dated 02.08.2019, has intimated the Commission that the requisite information has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Devinder Kumar through registered post. It, alongwith a copy of supplied information (which is duly signed by Public Information Officer Ms. Jaspal Kaur, Office Superintendent, Government I. T. I., Patiala) is taken on record.

Accordingly, the information sent to the Commission by the respondent PIO, be sent to the appellant alongwith this order and copies of the same be taken on record.

With this, the instant appeal case is **disposed of and closed**.

Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

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(Sanjiv Garg)
State Information Commissioner
Punjab

Encl:

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Sarabjit Singh

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...Appellant

V/s

Public Information Officer,

O/o The Director, State Transport, Punjab, Sector -17, Chandigarh

First Appellate Authority,

O/o The Director, State Transport, Punjab, Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 828 of 2019

Present: Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant in person.

- i) Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, in person;
- ii) Sh. Bahadur Singh, Senior Assistant;
- iii) Sh. Balbir Singh, Senior Assistant;
- iv) Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Assistant, for the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and last opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which were pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He was also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant

Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, who appeared in person alongwith three Senior Assistants namely Sh. Bahadur Singh; Sh. Balbir Singh and Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Assistants, in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 12057 dated 30.08.2019, showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh. It is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has pointed out certain deficiencies and he has received information at point no. 03, 04, 07, 08, 09, 10 and 11 But regarding information at point no. 01 and 02, he has received a reply mentioning that the information relates with office of general Manager, Punjab Roadways, Patti Depot and regarding information at point no. 05, he has received a reply mentioning that the required information is not traceable in the official record and information at point no. 01, 02 and 06 has not been given to him till date.

An opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the required information at point no. 01 and 02 to the appellant, after collecting the same from the concerned office. He is also directed to file a reply in connection with point no. 05, in writing, mentioning that the required information is not available in the official record or is missing or what efforts has been put in by him to trace-out the relevant official record. He is also directed to file a reply in connection with point no. 06 intimating the present status regarding correction of father's name in certificate, by the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 6th November, 2019(Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

(Sanjiv Garg)

Date: 2nd September,2019

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Appeal Case No. 830 of 2019

Present: Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant in person.

i) Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, in person;

V/s

- ii) Sh. Bahadur Singh, Senior Assistant;iii) Sh. Balbir Singh, Senior Assistant;
- iv) Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Assistant, for the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and last opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which were pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He was also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant.

Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, who appeared in person alongwith three Senior Assistants namely Sh. Bahadur Singh; Sh. Balbir Singh and Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Assistants, in today's hearing, orally state that in response to the RTI request, complete information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, through a letter dated 02.09.2019, has acknowledged that he has received the requisite information and satisfied with the information supplied and asked for filing of his case. It is taken on record.

After having consent of the appellant to dispose of the case and after going through the oral-submission submitted by Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO during the hearing in the Commission today and finding the explanation given by him genuine and show cause issued to him vide orders dated 08.07.2019 is <u>dropped</u>.

In view of all the above, the case is disposed of and closed.

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Appeal Case No. 832 of 2019

Present: Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant in person.

Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, in person;

V/s

- ii) Sh. Bahadur Singh, Senior Assistant;iii) Sh. Balbir Singh, Senior Assistant;
- iv) Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Assistant, for the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and last opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which were pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He was also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant.

Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, who appeared in person alongwith three Senior Assistants namely Sh. Bahadur Singh; Sh. Balbir Singh and Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Assistants, in today's hearing, orally state that in response to the RTI request, complete information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, through a letter dated 02.09.2019, has acknowledged that he ha.s received the requisite information and satisfied with the information supplied and asked for filing of his case. It is taken on record.

After having consent of the appellant to dispose of the case and after going through the oral-submission submitted by Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO during the hearing in the Commission today and finding the explanation given by him genuine and show cause issued to him vide orders dated 08.07.2019 is <u>dropped</u>.

In view of all the above, the case is <u>disposed of and closed</u>. Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

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Appeal Case No. 831 of 2019

Present: Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant in person.

i) Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, in person;

V/s

- ii) Sh. Bahadur Singh, Senior Assistant;iii) Sh. Balbir Singh, Senior Assistant;
- iv) Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Assistant, for the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and last opportunity was given to the respondent PIO to supply the information, after removing the deficiencies, which were pointed out by the Appellant, to him by registered post before the next date of hearing. He was also directed to submit the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant

Sh. Kuldip Singh, Superintendent-cum-PIO, who appeared in person alongwith three Senior Assistants namely Sh. Bahadur Singh; Sh. Balbir Singh and Sh. Anil Kumar, Senior Assistants, in today's hearing, orally state that in response to the RTI request, the required information, after removing the deficiencies, which have been pointed out by the Appellant, has been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally states that he has not received any information at point no. 05, 06 and 07 till date.

Another opportunity is given to the respondent PIO concerned to supply the remaining information at point no. 05, 06 and 07 to the appellant, by the next date of hearing.

The case is <u>adjourned to 6th November, 2019(Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u> Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.

(Sanjiv Garg)

Date: 2nd September,2019

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V/s

Public Information Officer, **O/o** The Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar(Punjab)

Date: 2nd September,2019

First Appellate Authority, O/o The State Transport Commissioner, Punjab, Sector -17, Chandigarh

... Respondents

Appeal Case No. 834 of 2019

Present: Sh. Sarabjit Singh, the appellant in person.

Sh. Malkiat Singh, Data Entry Operator, for the respondent.

ORDER

This case was last heard on 08.07.2019 and an opportunity was given to the respondent-PIO concerned of office of Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar, to supply the certified copies of the available information regarding point no. 06, 07, 08, 09, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33 and 34 to the appellant through registered post before the next date of hearing and submit a copy of the postal receipt, through which information would be sent to the Appellant, on the next date of hearing.

Sh. Malkiat Singh, Data Entry Operator, for, who appeared on behalf of the respondent PIO in today's hearing, submits a reply vide letter no. 4778 dated 28.08.2019 signed by Public Information Officer-cum-Secretary, Regional Transport Authority, Amritsar, showing that in response to the RTI request, the requisite information has already been supplied to the appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh. He also hands over a copy of the same to the appellant during the hearing in the Commission today. It, alongwith a copy of supplied information, is taken on record.

The appellant, Sh. Sarabjit Singh, who appeared in person in today's hearing, orally seeks an adjournment in this case so that he could point out deficiencies, if any, in the information supplied to him.

An opportunity is given to the appellant to point out deficiencies, if any, in the Information supplied to him, in writing, to the respondent PIO well in time so that the same could be removed by the respondent concerned.

The case is <u>adjourned to 6th November, 2019(Wednesday) at 11:00 A. M.</u>
Copies of the orders be sent to the parties.